

**Minutes of the Finance Committee Public Hearing
Tuesday, October 12, 2004**

Chair Haukohl called the meeting to order at 6 p.m.

Present: Supervisors Pat Haukohl (Chair), Don Broesch, Jim Behrend, Bonnie Morris, Joe Marchese, Genia Bruce and Ken Herro.

Also Present: Legislative Policy Advisor Mark Mader, Supervisor Dave Swan, Supervisor Jean Tortomasi, Director of Administration Norm Cummings, Senior Financial Analyst Clara Daniels, Community Development Coordinator Glen Lewinski, Supervisor Dick Manke, Dennis Shook, Legislative Policy Advisor Dave Krahn, Corporation Counsel Tom Farley, Chief of Staff Lee Esler, Supervisor Mareth Kipp, Office Services Coordinator Windy Jicha, Lynn Kryfke, Renee Bowerman, Ken Buck.

Chair Haukohl opened the public hearing for comment.

Buck spoke against cutting the Arch budget for socials and respite. He said the consumers of Arch need the services provided by the agency. The county needs to give 501(c) 3s their money back.

Bowerman spoke on behalf of her brother who has Down syndrome. She asked that the board not cut funding to Arch for socials. This program affects lives. These socials are an opportunity for people to interact with their peers and give them the opportunity for independence. Please keep the Arch funding in place.

Without further public comment, Haukohl declared the public hearing closed at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Bonnie J. Morris
Secretary

